

DO YOU WANT TO LIVE IN THE COMMUNITY?

There are options available. Some people live on their own while others live with a roommate.

Services are provided in your own home. Learn how to take care of your house, budget your money, keep appointments, shop, clean and find things to do in the community.

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- Do you want to live in the community?
- Do you have a serious mental illness?
- Do you want to learn about services that can help you live independently?

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

- The Kentucky Cabinet for Health & Family Services has entered into an agreement with Kentucky Protection & Advocacy.
- The agreement states that people who have a serious mental illness are entitled to live in the community, in their own home, or with others if they so choose.
- There are other options besides a personal care home. Money that pays for living in a personal care home can be used in the community to pay for services and supports.
- Housing vouchers may be available to help with rent.
- Medicaid or state funds might be used to pay for behavioral health supports and services.
- The Agreement will expire October 1, 2021.

IN-REACH

Should you want to move out of the personal care home and live in your community...

- Register at **dbhdid.ky.gov/ISA**
- Call the number on the back of this brochure
- Speak with the In-Reach worker at their next visit.
- Ask Personal Care Home staff to help you register.
- If you have a guardian, ask them for assistance.

